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## HIKERS WILL HIT TRAIL TOMORROW

(Special to the Daily Independent)

Washington, D. C., April 17—The Washington Wanderlusters, a motley lot of hikers who hit the rural trails in Maryland and Virginia each Sunday, will tomorrow celebrate the first anniversary of their unique organization. A thousand hikers will be on hand tomorrow noon, if the weather is fair. The sunrise section, less in numbers, will get an early start into the jungles of Rock Creek Park. During the past year the Wanderlusts have grown in numbers from a little group to a band of five or six hundred. Everything about the hikes is informal, and many women and girls keep the pace and gain health and pleasure on the hikes.

## BOY SCOUTS' FIRST OUTING

Frank Bumbaugh, Jr., Joe Griffith, Milton Hoffman, Sidney Bowes and Wallace Hood, accompanied local Scout Commissioner Geo. S. Bowes to Pittsburgh to take part in parade reviewed by the state president of Boy Scouts, Colin H. Livingston of Washington, D. C. The boys are to be guests of the Chronicle Telegraph at the Alvin theatre and be present at the address in Soldiers' Memorial hall in the evening.

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## LINDH INSTITUTE GOES TO FORMER OWNER

John Lindh, formerly proprietor of the Lindh institute, but who a year ago sold the place to Mrs. Miller, has again taken over the business and on the 28th of April will be ready to open to the public. Mr. Lindh wishes it strictly understood that he assumes no debts contracted by Mrs. Miller and that her creditors must look to her for settlement.

Mr. Lindh came to Monessen several years ago and opened an electrical massage and bath institute for the treatment of rheumatic and nervous diseases and other muscular ailments. He built up a good business and from time to time had to increase his facilities.

Mr. Lindh always conducted a clean, tidy and respectable place that bore a good reputation and people had confidence in him as a gentleman and business man. He sold out in order to take a trip to his native country, Sweden and upon his return he established similar institutes in Uniontown and Monongahela, later selling the one at Monongahela. After Mr. Lindh had disposed of his business here, Miss Elkholm who had been associated with him, engaged Mr. Burns, also one of the Lindh graduates and started the Monessen Institute in the Kelly building, which place is now being operated but which will be consolidated with the Lindh institute when it is opened on April 28th.

All of Mr. Lindh's customers and the public generally will be glad to welcome him back to town.

The institute will be thoroughly renovated, repainted and improved and equipped according to the latest scientific methods, and will be under the personal supervision of Mr. Lindh himself. Associated with him will be Miss Elkholm and Mr. Burns. Until the work of reconstruction can be done, treatments will be given at the Monessen Institute in the Kelly building.

## INTERESTING FACTS ON LOCAL OPTION

Of particular interest is a compilation of facts made by the Johnstown Tribune on the vote in the state under the local option law which was repealed in 1875. The Tribune article is in part as follows:

There was but one election under that law, held in 1875. Incorporated citites voted separately from the counties. Forty counties voted "dry" and 24 went "wet." The dry counties were Armstrong, Beaver, Bedford, Blair, Bradford, Butler, Cameron, Center, Chester, Clarion, Clearfield, Clinton, Crawford, Cumberdand, Delaware, Fayette, Franklin, Greene, Huntingdon, Indiana, Jefferson, Juniata, Lawrence, Luzerne, Lycoming, McKean, Mercer, Miffin, Montour, Somerset, Susquehanna, Tioga, Union, Venango, Warren, Washington, Westmoreland and Wyoming. Potter county has a prohibitory law and did not vote.

The dry cities were Altoona, Beaver Falls, New Castle, New Brighton, West Chester and Williamsport. Johnstown was not an incorporated city.

Cambria county went wet, the vote being 2,265 "for license" to 2,151 "against license." Blair county went dry by a majority of 1,479 and Altoona by 933. Somerset county voted 1,912 to 1,596 against license, Indiana voted 2,342 to 1,394 against license.

Statewide Prohibition was voted upon June 18, 1889 and 29 counties were in the dry column, viz: Beaver, Blair, Bradford, Butler, Cameron, Center, Chester, Clearfield, Crawford, Fayette, Forest, Greene, Huntingdon, Indiana, Jefferson, Lawrence, McKean, Mercer, Miffin, Potter, Susquehanna, Tioga, Union, Venango, Warren, Washington, Westmoreland and Wyoming.

The state vote was 296,617 for Prohibition and 484,644 against, and a wet majority of 188,027. Cambria county voted wet, 4,190 to 2,759. On acount of the Great Flood which occurred a few weeks prior to the special election, a very small vote was cast in the districts now comprised in the city of Johnstown.

In the 1889 vote Blair county was dry 6,322 to 4,038; Somerset county was wet 3,451 to 2,079; Indiana county dry, 4,966 to 2,067.

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## Colored League Elects Officers For the Year

The Afro-American Protective league met in the lecture room of the A. M. E. church last night and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

W. H. Taylor—President.
Alex Pangburn—Vice President.
J. A. Johnson—Secretary.
Ashby Boyer—Asst. Secretary.
W. H. Jones—Treasurer.
Executive Board—J. D. Foster, chairman; Chas. Conley, Robert Payne, Prof. W. S. Spriggs, C. Franklin.
Sargeant at Arms—Wm. Fry.

The league highly endorses the able effort that was put forth by Hon. A. C. Stein and Thomas P. Geary in pushing the equal rights bill through.

The recommendation of J. D. Foster as applicant for policeman in Monessen, was highly endorsed by the League.

The old president, Prof. Spriggs, in retiring, gave a very neat speech that held his audience spell bound for a few moments, in which he eulogized the good work the league has accomplished in its past history.

The president elect responded in a neat speech. Some very encouraging remarks were made by some of the most prominent members of the race. The league congratulated council for selecting Mr. Dick Dale as chairman of council. Much appreciation was displayed for the number of voters present and a goodly number joined the league.

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE

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## STEEL MAGNATE CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Charles M. Schwab industrial organizer, financier and steel magnate, will be 53 years old tomorrow. From a stake boy with an engineering corps he rose to the head of the Carnegie works and to the presidency of the big U. S. Steel Corporation. He is now one of the most active men in the steel industry, as shown by the big contracts which he negotiated with European nations last winter. Schwab made a record run to Ottawa in a special train, where it is said he talked with Premier Borden and the Duke of Connaught. His meeting with the Canadian officials followed soon after the visit of Ambassador Spring-Rice to the Governor General. Then Schwab dashed for Europe and he came back with a big secret. The yards of the Fore River works at Quincy were soon hammering away on submarines. Then Schwab visited Washington, and as a result is said to have cancelled the submarine order, or to have notified it so that none of the new submarines would be delivered to European nations until after the war. Activity on submarines was transferred to Canada, it was said and never denied. The fact that American steel workers had been offered big jobs in Canada led to the belief that the construction of British submarines had begun there.

Mr. Schwab was born at Williamsport, Pa., April 18, 1862. As a boy he drove a stage ten miles a day. He entered Carnegie's service as a stake driver in an engineering corps. He worked his way to chief engineer in six years. He was placed in charge of the various Carnegie plants and became president of the company in 1897. In 1901 he was made president of the U. S. Steel corporation and held that office for two years. He is now head of the Bethlehem Steel corporation and a director in many corporations. He has contributed heavily to philanthropy and church work.

## SOCIAL TIME LAST NIGHT

The entertainment given by the ladies of the Maccabees last evening was a decided success. A very large audience gathered to listen to a special program which had been prepared. Some of the best home talent in Monessen was represented. There were readings, vocal and instrumental solos, duets and choruses. The program closed with a laughable sketch giving away all the secret grips and signs of Maccabeeism. This was much enjoyed, especially the entrance of the "Maccabee Goat" and the arrest of the candidates by the "Maccabee" policeman.

At the conclusion of the program a dainty lunch was served, after which the young people danced and played games.

## BROKER HAS DEAD BODY FOR SALE

(Special to the Daily Independent)

Des Moines, Ia., April 17—A bankrupt broker of this city holds a bill of sale for the body of Miss Dottie Morgan, now living in Denver. When Mose Levich went into bankruptcy, he presented the unique agreement by which he was to have the woman's body after death, for it represented some of his assets. The agreement was signed by the woman in return for ten dollars, loaned from the pawn broker. The unusual agreement also says that the woman can buy back the agreement for ten dollars at any time. The court must now say whether the agreement is worth ten dollars.

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## LOCAL AUTO AGENCY MAKES MANY SALES

M. A. Dougherty, local agent for the J. P. Sloterbeck automobile company of Fayette City, reports the sale of nine cars already this season with many good prospects for more. Yesterday E. V. Anderson of the Monessen Foundry and Machine Co., closed a deal for a Model 30 Haines through this agency. Mr. Anderson is a mechanic of recognized ability and knows a good car when he examines one and he had no hesitancy in dealing for a Haines.

Mr. C. D. Rowell, electrical engineer at the Pittsburgh Steel, has purchased a similar car of the same model through the same agency.

In addition to the Haines car, Mr. Dougherty is also agent for the Chevrolet.

Next week is banner week at the Olpmpic: Monday we have Warren Kerrigan in "The Guardian of the Flocks" and "The Black Box." Tuesday the famous picture "The Poisoned Pool" in five reels. Wednesday "The Exploits of Elaine." Thursday "A Fool There Was" in five parts, a Box office attraction. 1t fp

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## That Reminds Us.

"In the most up-to-date school districts children are transported to public schools at the expense of the school district. There are 43 states now where such transportation of pupils is authorized."—Washington Dispatch.

Yes, that's the way we go it. Just as soon as the children are able to walk, we begin stuffing them with luxuries, and later on we'll roar because they think they have a right to automobiles and other luxuries, and we'll sit back and feel hard times because we can't give them to them.

We and our ancestors walked to school, some of us miles daily. It was a necessity. It was a joy. It put health in our bodies and ideas in our brains. It was fun too, for along the road we met schoolfellows and there were races and games and scraps, and all the vitality of kiddies in us, was stirred up. We were so tired at night time that we were glad to go to bed early, and weren't a bother to mother all the evening. We had to get up early, and it's the cool, bright, early morning that puts vim, vigor and vitality into a fellow.

We heard the robins and the meadowlarks and saw bully games of marbles "for keeps" and sometimes carried Emma Jones' slate and looked goo-goo eyes at her all the way. Then in season, there were sledding, sliding, snow balling, and, often, hauling Emma Jones on a home-made sled, with all the other fellows giggling and kidding us. And we finally got to the school house with crimson cheeks and more muscle in our legs and feeling that we were all alive. Oh say! That sort of going to school was just bully!

But now they're whisking the kiddies away to school in an auto or closed carriage, protected from the weather that's ordained to make strong men and women, and prevented from seeing and hearing the blessings that God has planted all the way to school. The kids aren't kids; they're precious toys. Pretty soon none of them will know how to walk and won't want to work—all hothouse flowers, up-to-date but delicate, robbed of the joys of being just a kid.

## Nature Knows No Classes

Stand on the street corner in any great city. Watch the girls of the wealthy class as they pass. Sleek, well groomed, healthy, they swing along with the easy grace of the soldier. The debantee slouch is gone, thank heaven. And nature has its way.

'Tis a source of pride and joy forever, this physical perfection of our American girls. And it's due to their inherent love for outdoor life and outdoor sports and then—that they are able to gratify it. They diffuse energy, radiate vitality, glow with the sheer joy of living for fortune has smiled on them.

We wonder if these lucky ones ever give a thought to their sisters who toil behind the counters all the day; who pass on the streets at closing hour with wan cheeks and faltering steps. They, too, are endowed with the same physical gifts, quite likely, for nature knows no classes; they are born with the same tastes, the same love for the open as the favored few. The call of the wild stirs just as keenly within their breasts. But they are denied the privilege of giving way to their desires, for they "can't afford it."

Think just a moment, you girls in whom all America takes pride, how sad that is. Can't afford the sunshine, the life giving air that tints your cheeks and brightens your eyes. Can't afford the exercise that makes for your abundance of physical charm, because their time is not their own, nor ever can be, while poverty pinches.

If you think about it, you will extend to them the hand of good fellowship when you may, for your selfishness is but the result of thoughtlessness. Share your pleasures with the less fortunate ones of your acquaintance, now and then and your own happiness will be augmented. Try it and taste real joy.

# Good Story in Woman's Home Companion

In the May Woman's Home Companion appears a page entitled "An Experience Meeting." On this page various mothers relate interesting and profitable experiences with their boys. One woman tells in part as follows how she interested her boys in the study of the investment of money:

"When my three sons were come to an age when they were commencing to earn spending money, I put into practice a scheme I had long been formulating. Each boy was presented with an account book and told to consider himself in possession of ten thousand dollars.

"This imaginary money was to be invested on paper, as each saw fit, but detailed accounts were to be kept of brokers' commissions, and interest.

"For the first few weeks after my announcement, the conversation in our home was entirely of the stock market, and the postman put in a daily appearance overburdened by prospectuses.

Our first quarterly meeeting brought some interesting things to light. Bob was overstocked with what I knew to be "wild cats," although his faith in them was explicit; John had proved a conservative, with nothing paying over five per cent. on his list; whereas Max had several pages filled with often changed investments

"The next meeting found Bob a bankrupt, with several assessments to meet; John had been caught on a down town market, and in his apprehension had sold many of the best holdings at a loss; while Max had suddenly taken it into his volatile head to experiment with the 'put all your eggs into one basket, then watch that basket' idea. By common consent we voted Bob an imaginary two hundred dollars with which to begin all over again.

"The boys gradually learned their own weaknesses in regard to the business wrold, and come to some profitable conclusions. It was John who won the prize money. The other two boys congratulated him heartily, but insisted on continuing to play the game on a rival five hundred imaginary dollars each, since they found it too good fun to abandon.

"Two years later, by strange coincidence, the boys did come in for an inheritance of ten thousand dollars apiece and time has proven, that, thanks to our experiment, they were well prepared to take care of it."

# ABSTAIN FROM STIMULATING BEVERAGES

Little Talks on Health and Hygiene by Samuel G. Dixon, M. D. LL. D., Commissioner of Health

THE UNIVERSAL TIPPLE

Coffee and tea are the two beverages used almost universally by the adult population throughout the civilized and semi civilized world.

It is impossible to say how many tens of millions of dollars are expended upon them annually. Although their use has been steadily increased by the multitudes who have formed the habit without the loss of any benefit and in the majority of cases abstinence would result in distinct gain.

Neither coffee or tea are to be considered foods. Both are stimulants and it is this which is responsible for their popularity. As with all other stimulants there is a continual tendency to over indulgence because a moderate allowance after a time fails to give the necessary excitement to the nervous system.

While the mind is often stimulated to good work for a short time by coffee or tea any stimulus which they give is transitory for there is a period of depression following the use of all stimulants. Experiments have shown that over indulgence in both have a tendency in the long run to dull the working of the mind.

A moderate use may not be followed by any noticeable ill effect but nervousness and disturbances of the digestive system is almost certain to follow the excessive use of either. Tea has an astringent action which is often harmful.

Any value which might follow from the use of a warm beverage with meals, where the majority of the food is below the body temperature, is probably offset by this action. Hot water of the "cambric tea" (hot water, whole milk and sugar) of our childhood days is far better.

Many people rely upon coffee and tea almost entirely as beverages and fail to drink the proper quantity of pure water.

# CHAMPION WILLARD SUES FILM COMPANY

By Tony Bender

Champion Jess Willard filed a suit in the supreme court of the United States today for $10,000 damages, for an accounting from the Universal Film Co. The complaint states that on January 8, Willard signed an agreement with the defendant to appear in the film, "Jess Willard in the Heart Punch" for which he was to receive 25% of all the sums received by the film company, for the sale or rental of the films, which was to have a weekly accounting. The complaint alleges that in violation of the agreement the defendant has made sales of the films to concerns affiliated with it at fictitious prices, disappropriate to the value of the film.

Organized Bull and the Federal league are again holding secret meetings. Ban Johnson, president of the American League and Phil Ball, one of the largest stock holders in the St. Louis Federal club and Charley Connishey of the Chicago White Sox, held a secret meeting yesterday in a St. Louis restaurant. The meeting did not break up until Connishey was forced to leave in order to catch a train for Chicago. They would not make any statements after the meeting.

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"Well, I guess not!"
"What is a note, anyway?"
"A promise to pay."
"What's a fire insurance policy?"
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# When Billy Sunday Came to Town

By ALEXANDER CORKEY

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## SYNOPSIS.

Reginald Nelson, a young Englishman of high birth, comes to this country to win fame and fortune. On the steamer he meets Albert Townley, a minister, Mrs. Graham and her pretty daughter, Joy.

Reginald goes to Bronson, home of his three new acquaintances, where he learns that Joy's father is a leading lawyer, who is the mainstay of a corrupt political ring. He gets a job.

The young Englishman enters the social life of Bronson. He falls in love with Joy, and later discovers that she is engaged to be married to Roland Gregory.

Allan Rutledge, another minister, and the Rev. Mr Townley confer on the evil moral and laboring conditions in Bronson. The reform element meets and decides to have Billy Sunday, the noted evangelist, aid in a "cleanup."

"I have never met him personally," said the other, "but I have often heard him condemned by ministers and others. They say his methods and language are vulgar in the extreme."

"I have known Mr. Sunday since he was one of our national baseball stars," said Allan Rutledge, seating himself and turning to his companion. "I was only a boy then, but I remember how proud we were of our Iowa baseball champion. After his conversion I lost sight of him for some years, but when he entered the religious field I hailed him as a winner, for I knew that he had exactly what our age needs. He

"I have never back pedaled for the devil yet."

has courage, determination, manhood and dynamic energy. His so called vulgarity is only the vernacular of the baseball diamond, and it is the everyday language of millions of Americans. He does not need to use this language, but he humbles himself to it in order to reach the masses and save them. His astounding success is proof of his divine commission."

After a good deal of argument and persuasion Albert Townley finally agreed to visit the other ministers in Bronson, with whom he had a large influence, and seek to unite Bronson Protestantism in a Billy Sunday campaign. Mr. Townley was surprised to find that almost unanimously the other ministers agreed that such a campaign would be supported by them.

The result was that a meeting of the ministers and some of the most spiritual men in the churches was called. The Central church was represented at this meeting by Mr. Cameron. Mr. Cameron had heard Billy Sunday and was enthusiastic in favor of the plan.

"It will be just as Dr. Rutledge says," he exclaimed. "If we arrange for a big tabernacle and invite Billy Sunday to Bronson we will shake this town from center to circumference, and we need such a shaking."

Other laymen spoke in the same strain. It was planned to present the matter to the different churches the following Sabbath. The proposed union of the Protestant forces in a spiritual campaign appealed to the individual churches of all denominations, and the ministers were astonished and pleased to find out the amount of real religious interest which had been latent in their congregations.

Allan Rutledge made a visit to a neighboring state, where Mr. Sunday was conducting a campaign, and prevailed upon him to arrange for a meeting in Bronson.

"We need you in Bronson, Billy," said Allan Rutledge, with intense earnestness, "and God needs you."

"All right," was the ex-baseball champion's characteristic remark. "Go ahead and get up the tabernacle. I'm ready to buck the gang in Bronson or anywhere else. I have never back pedaled for the devil yet, and I never will."

As time went on and the preparations for the building of the immense tabernacle were begun there were signs of anxiety among certain of Bronson's citizens.

"Is this grafter, Billy Sunday, coming to Bronson?" said Bud McCrea to Mr. Graham one day in the law office of Millman & Graham. Bud McCrea was the uncrowned king of Bronson. He was the political boss. The man seemed to feel a sense of injured dignity that it was proposed to inaugurate a spiritual campaign without first obtaining his consent.

There was a scowl in his face.

"Don't be afraid," he replied jokingly. "Sunday is nothing but a clown, and his circus performances here will not amount to anything."

"I don't know about that," said the other seriously. "I have reports from some places where he has been, and he is a dangerous man. After his campaigns cities begin to 'clean up,' as they call it, and we want none of that kind of Sunday school business in Bronson."

"Well," responded the lawyer, "I must confess I knew nothing about it until it had all been practically arranged. Our new man at the Central church seems to be at the head of the movement."

"I never liked that fellow, Rutledge," said McCrea. "He is one of those confounded preachers who think they ought to be interfering with everybody's business."

"He did preach a strong temperance sermon lately, I understand," said the lawyer, "and spoke somewhat severely about our saloon regulations, but he will soon get tired of that kind of thing. These new men need to be given a little liberty, you know."

"I'll see the council and try to head the thing off," said McCrea as he arose to go. "The visit of such a grafter as Billy Sunday to Bronson is a disgrace."

### CHAPTER V.

#### A Sleigh Ride Party.

THE day after his triumph at the Tourist club was one of inner conflict and discouragement for Reginald Nelson. He was himself astonished at the place which Joy Graham had taken in his life, and he wondered what the subtle charm was which seemed to bind his life to hers.

"She belongs to another man," he said to himself sternly. "I have no more right to seek her hand than if she were married already. Ah," he continued groaning, "what is wrong with me? Am I going mad?"

At first he thought he would drop all connection with the Central church and give up both the choir and Tourist club in order that he might not be compelled to meet Joy Graham, but a strange fascination drew him to the scenes where he knew he must suffer anguish of heart.

"I promised Dr. Rutledge that I would sing in the choir," he said to himself decidedly. "I will prove myself a man by attending both choir practices and the meetings of the Tourist club. I shall make a friend of Vivian Derwent, and Joy Graham will never know the torture that she has caused me."

Accordingly, during the next few weeks Reginald and Joy met again and again, but he studiously avoided her as much as he could. Joy Graham was greatly grieved at his conduct, and she sought to be more friendly than ever.

"Why are you always smiling on that Englishman?" asked Roland Gregory sharply one evening at the close of a meeting of the Tourist club.

"I did not know I had been smiling on him so very much," answered the girl innocently, "but I was just now thinking what has gone wrong with him the past few weeks."

"Vivian will soon take the broken heart out of him," said the other sneeringly. "He is dancing attendance on her night and day, and poor George Caldwell is distracted."

"How rudely you talk, Ronald," responded the girl, with a sudden catch in her breath. "I did not know he was dancing attendance on Vivian or any one else."

"They are all talking about it," said her companion. "He escorts her to the dormitory on every possible occasion. I think myself he is making a fool out of Vivian."

Long after midnight Joy was lying awake, carrying on a conversation with herself.

"No wonder he admires Vivian," she said to herself. "She is such a bright, cheerful girl, and he needs just such companionship as hers, but I some way cannot understand why he avoids me as he does."

Thomas Marchmont, the editor of the Bronson Courier, had noticed in the "copy" of his city reporter an account of the address of Reginald at the Tourist club. The account had been written up for the reporter by Joy Graham, and she spoke at some length of Reginald's arrival in Bronson and of his splendid address on London.

"This is the young fellow that Mr. Graham spoke to me about," commented the editor as he read the item. "I must have an interview with him. He will probably be able to give me a good account of the situation in England, and I know that many of my readers would appreciate a good article on that subject just now." Accordingly, he wrote a note to the young Englishman asking him to call at the Courier office. Reginald responded with pleasure.

"I am much pleased to meet you," said the editor. "Mr. Graham has been telling me about you."

"I crossed in the same boat with Mr. Graham's family and with Mr. Townley," responded Reginald, "and they advised me to begin life in Bronson, and I do not think I have made a mistake."

"What are your plans?"

"I wish to enter the newspaper world at the first opportunity," replied Reginald promptly. "I think I will be able to succeed best in your own profession."

"Have you ever tried the newspaper work?" inquired the other.

"Just a little," Reginald answered smilingly. "I did some amateur work for a London paper."

"By the way," said the editor, "I wish you to give me an interview on the political and social condition of England at present. Would you be prepared to do that?"

"Certainly—at once."

Mr. Marchmount began asking Reginald a number of questions in regard to different aspects of English life. The editor was surprised at the readiness with which Reginald answered his questions.

"What do the English people think of the Welsh statesman, Lloyd-George?" Mr. Marchmount asked during the interview.

Reginald answered at once in a tone of enthusiasm: "He is the great hero of the common people of England at this hour. They hail him as the Garibaldi of England. His popularity and influence are growing every year, and he is proving himself the great modern statesman of Europe."

"But he is often bitterly criticised by a portion of the English press," interjected Mr. Marchmount.

"The aristocracy fear and hate the man," responded Reginald, with a gleam in his eyes. "No man knows better than I do how bitter is their hatred. They feel that they are in his power and that he is stripping them of their ancient monopolies and privileges, and they fail to understand that he is really saving England from revolution and destruction."

At the conclusion of the interview Mr. Marchmount said abruptly, "Would you be in a position to accept a place on the Courier staff at the first of the year?"

"I certainly would," answered Reginald enthusiastically. "I am engaged at the railroad office for no definite time, and a few weeks' notice will be sufficient in case I desire to leave."

"I will need a city reporter at the beginning of the new year," said Mr. Marchmount, "and I think you are just the young man I want."

Reginald went home overjoyed.

About the middle of December Vivian Derwent called at the freight office to see him. She and Reginald were now warm friends, and he felt a freedom in her company which gave him relief during those days of struggle as he was trying to kill out of his heart his devotion to Joy Graham.

After the greetings were over Vivian began enthusiastically: "Oh, Mr. Nelson, a number of the members of the Tourist club are going on a real trip tomorrow night! My father and mother want me to bring out a sleigh load to our home, and we will have a supper there. Can you come?"

"A sleigh ride?" said Reginald, perplexed. "What do you mean?"

"Oh, I forgot you never had a sleigh ride before!" said the girl, laughing. "We get a big hayrack and put a lot of hay in it and then fill it up with robes and furs, and we pile in and have the jolliest time. You will come, won't you?"

"I will surely be glad to go," said Reginald. "I have been wanting to visit your home and meet your father and mother."

"And they are just dying to see you," said the girl. "I have been telling them about my Englishman."

The next evening a gay party left Bronson in a large hayrack on a sleigh ride to Vivian Derwent's country home. It was a rare winter night, with a clear moon shining in silvery splendor and the twinkling stars glowing like patines of pure gold in the azure vault of heaven. In seating themselves it had happened that Vivian and Reginald sat opposite Roland and Joy. Reginald being next the driver. "What a glorious night for our ride!" said Joy, looking up at the radiant moon.

Just then a shrill whistle sounded through the night air. In the distance could be heard the thunder of the limited express from New York to Chicago. For several miles at the point where the sleighing party was jingling along the wagon road paralleled the rails, and Reginald noticed that the driver took a fresh grip on the lines with which he controlled his double team.

"There it comes!" shouted Vivian.

"Look, Mr. Nelson, look!" exclaimed Joy Graham excitedly. "Does not that make a great sight?"

Reginald had been watching the horses closely, anxious to assist the driver if possible in case assistance were necessary, but at Joy's exclamation he turned to see the oncoming train.

Roaring like Niagara the electric headlight blinding them with its gleams, the great mogul engine, with its long train of Pullmans, was just behind them as Reginald turned.

"Whoa! Whoa!" the driver of the hayrack was shouting in excited tones to his startled team.

The only words heard were the cries of the driver. The whole company sat still, looking forward at the plunging horses, while beyond the red lights of the rear of the limited express were fading from view.

(continued in our next issue.)


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| Reserve fund: Cash, Specie and Notes | $33,002.00 | |
| Due from approved reserve agents | 6,729.44 | |
| Legal securities at par | | 39,731.44 |
| Nickels and cents | | 146.13 |
| Checks and cash items | | 4,789.78 |
| Securities pledged for special deposits | | 9,169,50 |
| Securities pledged for bills payable | | 34.533.50 |
| Commercial paper purchased: | | |
| Upon one name 65.326,37 | | |
| Upon two or more names 137,248 86 | | 202,575.23 |
| Loans upon call with collateral | | 22,560.00 |
| Time loans with collateral | | 32,737.04 |
| Loans secured by bonds and mortgages | | 8,460 70 |
| Bonds, stocks, etc. | | 45,105.84 |
| Mortgages and judgments of record | | 214.200 75 |
| Office building and lot | | 60,414.86 |
| Other real estate | | 9,262.09 |
| Furniture and fixtures | | 10,469 21 |
| Overdrafts | | 751.97 |
| Other assets not included in above | | 20 .00 |
| Total | | $694,928 04 |

LIABILITIES

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| Capital stock paid in | $150,000.00 |
| Surplus Fund | 80,000.00 |
| Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid | 23,696 96 |
| Individual deposits subject to check (exclusive of trust funds and savings) | 132,833.71 |
| Demand certificates of deposit (exclusive of trust funds and savings) | 16,232.09 |
| Deposits, saving fund (exclusive of trust funds and savings | 253,753.07 |
| Deposits U. S. postal savings | 6,720.00 |
| Dividends unpaid | 34.00 |
| Treasurer's and certified checks outstanding | 2,858.21 |
| Bills payable on demand | 28,800.00 |
| Total | 694,928.04 |
| Amount of Trust funds invested | 17,450 00 |
| Amount of Trust funds uninvested | 2,505.41 |
| Total Trust funds | 19.955.41 |

CORPORATE TRUSTS

Total amount (l. e. face value) of Trusts under deeds of trust or mortgages executed by corporations to the company as Trustee to secure issues of corporate bonds, including Equipment Trusts $47,000

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I, J. Howard Kelly, Treasurer of the above named Trust Company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. Howard Kelly, Treasurer

Sworn and subscribed before me this 14th day of April, 1915.
Alfred Tanzer, Notary Public

O. J. Kreger
E. M. Frye
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### CREDITOR'S NOTICE

Having purchased the fruit and confectionery business of Dominick Paris at 326 Donner avenue, I wish to notify all persons having claims against this business to present them to the undersigned within thirty days of the date hereof as final settlement will be made at that time.

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Motorcycling is regaining popularity in new England. The season opens on Monday at the old Readville track. 112 races have been scheduled for this summer there.

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Letters over the signatures of

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Bids will be received for the laying of a concrete walk and paving around the new High school building, Sixth street, Monessen, corners Reed and Knox avenues. All bids must be in by April 20, 1915, and each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for $300. Plans and specifications can be seen or procured from the building committee, F. H. Shutterly, R. S. Kelly and J. W. Cadwallader.

53-3t Building Com.

## Local Notes

Mrs. C. Bisserie was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Conrad Stinogle of Webster, is visiting friends in Monessen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Currie of Second street, spent the day in the city.

Prof. W. A. Spriggs is reported ill at his home, 448 Motheral avenue.

Dr. Geo. T. Cornelius has moved his dental offices to 410 Donner ave. 47-1m

Mrs. W. P. Kirk and two children of Fourth street, were Pittsburgh visitors today.

Miss H. Irwin of Donner avenue, is spending a few days with friends in Pittsburgh.

Our Dollar boxes Saturday contain roses and sweet peas.—Crall's Flower Shop. 61-2t

Mrs. Paul Shepler of First street, is visiting friends and relatives in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Mary Gobert of Schoonmaker avenue, is transacting business in the city today.

Miss Pearl Newhouse of Schoonmaker avenue, was a Monongahela caller today.

Mrs. Sara M. Hancock, funeral director at Roscoe, was a Monessen caller yesterday.

Miss Ethel Hamilton of Reed avenue, is spending the week end with friends in Donora.

Mrs. A. Currie of Delaware avenue, left this morning for Woodlawn to visit relatives for a few days.

Jake Bornstein, the Schoonmaker avenue furniture dealer, was a business visitor in Pittsburgh yesterday.

Mrs. A. Byers returned to her home in McKeesport today after visiting relatives here for the past week.

H. E. Rinehart, sealer of weights and measures, is home to spend Sunday with his family on McKee avenue.

W. S. Bumbaugh, of the Monessen Foundry and Machine company, was a business visitor in Pittsburgh yesterday.

Drop in and take home one of our Dollar Specials Saturday.—Crall's Flower Shop. 61-2t

Mrs. Clara Carson of Allenport and Mrs. Hannah Langford of Roscoe, attended the Maccabee entertainment last evening.

Mrs. Issac Straw of Westover, returned to her home this morning after spending several days with relatives here.

Frank G. Lane, who has secured a steady position as reporter for the Homestead Herald, spent last evening in town.

Mrs. William Bramley has returned home after spending Thursday and Friday of this week among friends in McKeesport.

The California Sentinel, a strong bull moose organ, has diagnosed Governor Brumbaugh's disease as "bull moose" fever.

Special Saturday at Cralls, roses at 75c per dozen—Crall's Flower Shop. 61-2t

Mrs. D. C. Farquhar and two children of Reed avenue, are visiting relatives in Monongahela where they will remain over Sunday.

John Martin of Waltz Mills, a member of the Westmoreland poor board, was in Monessen today in connection with the duties of his office.

Mrs. George Gillis and daughter of Ninth street, left this morning for McKeesport where they will spend a few days with relatives and friends.

Roman E. Kochler makes an announcement in the Donora American that he has again taken up the editorial pen and will wield it with the same vigor as before becoming postmaster of Donora.

Sheriff Ben Steel was in town a few hours yesterday and dropped into the Independent office for a friendly call. Sheriff Steele is a candidate for county commissioner and as he travels about he kills two birds with one stone.

E. M. Frye, in charge of the real estate department of the Monessen Savings and Trust company, was among the local business men to transact business in the smoky city yesterday.

C. W. Greer went to Greensburg today to attend a teachers' meeting. Several of the local teachers accompanied him and the trip was made by automobile.

"Breaking In," featuring Lillian Walker and Ned Finley in two reels and "The Oaklawn Handicap" featuring William Clifford and Marie Walacamp, three reels, are some of the good pictures at the Olympic today. It

There will be a meeting of the Volunteer Firemen Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Business of importance is to be transacted and all members are requested to be present. 60-3t

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## CHURCHES

NOTICE—All church notices to insure publication in Saturday's issue must be in this office not later than Friday evening. This order to be effective at once.

Holy Trinity Episcopal Mission, Eighth street—Services for Second Sunday after Easter as follows: School at 3 p. m.; evening prayer and litany with sermon at 4 p. m.

The Associated Bible students will meet in Kelly's hall Sunday morning at 10 a. m. The lesson study will be "Children favored waiting for the Kingdom." All persons interested in Bible study are welcome.

First M. E. church, corner of Fourth and Schoonmaker, Rev. A. H. Davies, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30, J. C. F. Motz, superintendent; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Epworth League at 6:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45. The Rev. A. W. Davies of Alverton, will preach morning and evening. All are invited.

United Presbyterian church, Eighth and Schoonmaker, J. M. Jamieson, pastor—10 a. m., Sabbath school; 11 a. m., divine worship, topic "Three Aspirants for Discipleship." 6:30 a. m. topic, "One Day in Seven for the Highest Things." Leader, Mildred Gilchrist. 7:30 divine worship, topic "A Desperate Case Healed." The public is welcomed. Seats free.

Two big evangelistic services at the Christian church tomorrow. The theme for the morning service will be "The King's Keys to His Kingdom." Subject for the evening service will be "The Judgment." We welcome one and all to these services. The evangelistic services will continue each evening next week. Special music, the male quartet and Mr. Frank Foster will sing at each service.

First Christian church, Sixth street, near Donner, Rev. J. B. Swain, pastor, residence 444 Reed avenue, phone 240-J. Order of services—Bible school at 9:30, a department for everyone, J. Frank Bowers, superintendent; Lord's Supper observed at 11 a. m.; sermon by the pastor at 11:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.; sermon by the pastor at 7:45 p. m. Tuesday Young Peoples' prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, congregational prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. These services are free to everyone. Come and "Praise Jehovah Among the Multitude."

The Evangelical Christ Lutheran church of Monessen, 221 McKee avenue, will tomorrow begin a three day celebration of the fifteenth anniversary of the organization of the congregation with an order of services extending over Monday and Tuesday evenings. This is one of the oldest religious bodies in the town, dating back to the spring of 1898. There have been but two pastors, Rev. C. J. Waltenr, now located at Cleveland, and Rev. E. H. Albrecht, at present in charge. Some of the pioneer citizens of Monessen have been active and consistent members of the congregation since its inception.

First Presbyterian church, Rev. H. O. MacDonald, pastor—Divine worship with sermon at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning sermon theme, "The Forgiveness of Sin." Evening "Our Hope of Heaven." Sunday school at 9:45. Mr. F. D. Bumbaugh, the newly elected superintendent, desires to have all teachers and scholars present on time. Junior Endeavor at 3:30. Senior Endeavor at 6:30, subject "One day in seven for the highest things." Ezek. 20:1-20. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:45, subject "True Worship." John 4:23-24. Teacher training immediately after prayer-meeting. A cordial welcome to everybody.

St. Paul's Evanglical Lutheran church, Eight street near Donner, Dr. C. E. Keller, pastor—Sunday school (Mr. J. B. Smith, Supt.) at 9:45a. m.; We still grow and want to be more useful; let us help you; come. Worship with sermons at 11 a. m., "Unity in Plurality," and 7:30 p. m, "An Anxious Moment." Jr. Luther League (Miss Myers, Supt.) at 2 p. m.; Sr. Luther League (Mr. S. E. Monath, leader) 7:45 p. m., topic, "Moral Inability;" Art III of Apostles Creed. Prayer service Wednesday, thought to be presented, by request "Holiness." Others find delight in worshipping with us. Have you been here? A hearty welcome and the best place for you if you are in time. All seats free.

Services Sunday, April 18th at the United Brethren church on Reed avenue will be as follows: Sunday school at 9:30; preaching services at 10:45 a. m.; Juniors at 2 o'clock sharp; Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. and preaching service at 8 p. m. Note the change in the evening services. In the morning Rev. Bungard will speak on the theme, "The Unseen Hand" and in the evening on "Exalted Manhood." The subject for the Christian Endeavor meeting will be "One Day in Seven," and is one which no one in Monessen should overlook, as the Sabbath day is given very little consideration in certain sections of our town. We try to make our meetings just a little better each time and we urge you to be present.

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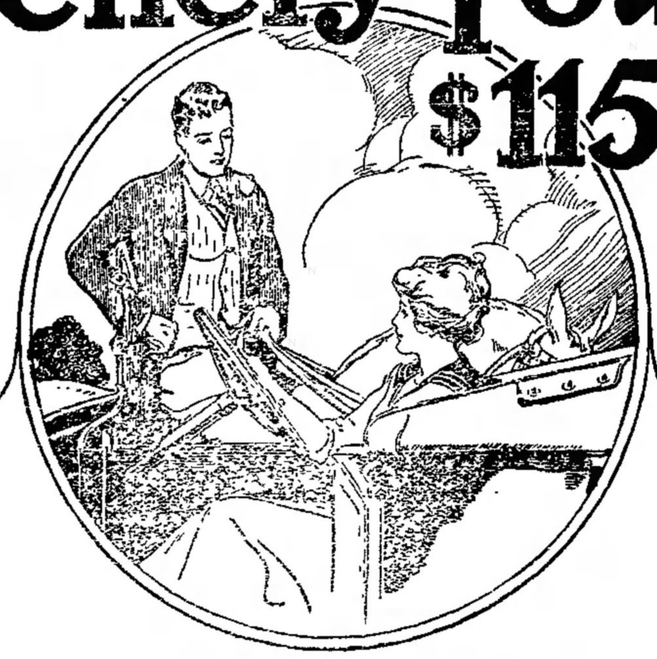

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